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SUMMER HEALTH HINTS

CONSUMER TIPS > :

KEEPING COMFORTABLE & HEALTHY IN HOT WEATHER (Information from U.S. Public Health Service)

- cdo. Exemptise take it easy; don't be too active when sun is at its peak; don't suddenly exercise a lot when you haven't been active all winter; don't exercise just before or just after eating. Swimming is healthy summer sport.
 - 2. Sleep get plenty of sleep at regular hours; try fan in bedroom to keep air moving; don't sleep in draft.
 - 3. Baths cool showers keep body invigorated, refreshed;
 - 4. Food don't completely change diet habits; eat less

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heat producing foods, like fried foods, gravies, fats; eat plenty fresh vegetables, fruits; lean meat, fish & poultry, milk, eggs, cheese—good warmweather proteins.

5. Water - drink at least 6-8 glasses a day; if you sweat a lot, replace salt by drinking salty water or eating salty foods occasionally.

<u>6. Clothing</u> - wear light-weight, light-colored, loosely fitting clothing; cotton, linen good summer fabrics, also gingham, percale, chambray, seersucker, medium-weight broadcloth for women's dresses; seersucker, hop-sacking, linen, linen-like cottons, gabardine for men's suits.

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